

Fair and warmer today  
and tomorrow.

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PRICE FIVE CENTS

## CHILD LABOR BILL PASSES THE HOUSE BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

Regarded as Perfect Ex-  
ample for States to  
Follow.

Hobby of the President,  
Indorsed by Both  
Parties.

### Provisions of Bill

No child shall work in a factory or store if under fourteen years of age, or anywhere else during public school hours, or before 8 a. m. or after 7 p. m.

Children between fourteen and sixteen years of age, employed in any factory or shop, must procure school certificates.

No child under sixteen shall work more than eight hours a day, or forty-eight hours a week.

No boy under ten or girl under sixteen shall sell newspapers or other merchandise, or engage in bootblackening on the streets; and all boys under sixteen are required to obtain a permit and badge to pursue these occupations.

Without a dissenting voice, the House passed the District of Columbia child labor bill yesterday afternoon.

As the measure passed the House, it is more comprehensive than when it was passed by the Senate. The vote on it was 250, and nays, 0.

Its passage was made notable by the fact that Minority Leader Williams, "as an appreciation of the merits of the measure, and to encourage the District Committee in its good work," withdrew his demand for a roll call on the bill. Mr. Olcott of New York, however, demanded the roll call, so as to put everybody on record.

Most of the forty minutes set aside for debating the bill was taken up with a running fire debate between Republican Floor Leader Payne and Minority Leader Williams regarding national issues. With the exception of a brief speech by Mr. Murphy of Wisconsin, a member of the District Committee, who said that the bill is a model for all the States to follow, discussion of it was confined to a few questions regarding legal points in it from Representatives Crumacker of Indiana, Norris of Nebraska, and Burton of Ohio.

A Model Measure.

"I rise to say," declared Mr. Murphy, "that the minority members of the committee are unanimously in favor of the bill, as well as the Republican members. We have a fine child labor law in Wisconsin, but I believe this is better than Wisconsin's. It will be a model for all the States to follow, because it contains the best features of all the State laws on the subject."

Mr. Williams said:

"If an act of Congress with the efforts of the District Committee to put a model child labor bill through the House, that I shall not demand a roll call on it, and, as a further encouragement to the committee, I announce that I will not demand a roll call on any other bills it may bring into the House, not to exceed in number six, if they are meritorious."

"Not only am I glad to see this child labor bill go through, but I also would like to see passed for the District of Columbia a model corporation law, model control of all public service utilities, model laws governing marriage and divorce, and model eight-hour law. I would like to see this city on a high hill, shedding its light upon the world. We will show you how quickly we, on this side of the House, can put a bill of this kind through the House."

Mr. Cushman of Washington wanted to know if the State of Mississippi had a child labor law. Mr. Williams had to confess it did not.

This was followed by Mr. Payne, who said he thought the gentleman from Mississippi (Mr. Williams) could do better by trying to have a child labor law enacted by the Mississippi Legislature than by "wasting his time wounding the Republican membership of the House." Mr. Kahn of California said the same thing.

Williams Is Sarcastic.

Williams came back with a sarcastic speech about how Mr. Payne's "political activity has been accelerated in the last few days." Mr. Payne being "a recent and strenuous convert to many things, among them the bill for the anti-injunction policy by the courts."

Mr. Payne said he had interviewed the members of the District committee early in the session, and had found that the committee would get out such a bill. He added that the Republicans were doing the legislating, and that they were doing it as it should be done.

Mr. Williams took another shot at the general situation by asking why the Republicans did not pass a bill for publicity in political campaign contributions.

After Mr. Olcott had explained how hard the committee had worked to frame up the bill, and that it was a little better than the Senate form of the measure, by being more comprehensive, he demanded the roll call, which was taken.

This bill has been advocated by the President and many organizations interested in the subject.

## ARKANSAS SPEAKER SEIZES GOVERNORSHIP

Merely Carries Out Constitution in Executive's Absence—Found Office Locked, But Got in After Taking Oath.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., May 9.—Allen Hammett, speaker of the house of representatives, was sworn in as acting governor of Arkansas today. He found the governor's office locked, but Paul too ill to act, unlocked it for him. He will occupy the office until Acting Governor Pindell's return from Washington, where he went last night to attend Acting Governor Hammett's request for newspapers to deny the sensational governor's office on Pindell's return. He "I am here simply to discharge my duties as governor in the absence of the chief executive, in accordance with the

provisions of the Constitution. I am sorry Governor Pindell did not see fit to follow what has been the custom and extend an invitation to me as speaker of the house to assume the duties. The constitution clearly provides that under such contingencies as that occasioned by the absence of Governor Pindell at Washington the speaker of the house becomes the acting governor.

"When I came up this morning I found the door to the executive chamber locked and could not obtain an entrance. I was determined, however, to qualify as governor and assume the duties.

## CATHOLICS SCORED BY BISHOP BURT

Methodist Prelate, in Conference, Makes Attack on "Romanism."

BALTIMORE, Md., May 9.—During the afternoon session of the General Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church today, William Burt, missionary bishop in charge of the work in various countries in Europe, made a sharp attack upon "Romanism."

"It is on the continent of Europe," he said, "that Romanism is brought face to face with the Greek and Roman churches. The Greek church has become corrupt. It is pagan in all but name. The evils of the Greek church are multiplied and emphasized in Romanism. It is the difference, so long as they are Jesuitically aggressive."

"It is marvelous how successful the Jesuits have been in breaking down opposition to the system by getting us to look at the person. The person may be a humble parish priest, a self-forgetting nun, a deft bishop or a godly pope, it makes no difference, so long as they can influence us to believe that because certain individuals are not as bad as Romanism is represented to be, therefore that system has been misrepresented."

"If the papacy shall triumph, or if Roman Catholic Europe shall be allowed to sink into atheism, what will be the final effect on the Christian civilization we are seeking to establish in China, India, and Africa? We must save Europe and America if we would save the heathen world; we must save the heathen world if we would save ourselves."

"In addition to my work in Europe," said Bishop Burt, "I visited Africa, where as a fraternal delegate to the Irish and British conference and presided over fourteen conferences in America. In all I have held fifty-six conferences on three continents and traveled more than 125,000 miles."

Bishop Burt made a specific report of his visit to Bulgaria, Hungary, Austria, Switzerland, Germany, Norway, Sweden, and Denmark.

"Thank God," said the bishop, "we also are in Russia. The next religious awakening on the continent is to be in Russia, and no church is better equipped to do that work and gather the harvest than the Methodists."

In all the continental countries, he said, the Methodists carry to the front the banner of total abstinence.

Following Bishop Burt's address the conference adjourned until Monday, and the delegates took an excursion on the bay.

## WASHINGTON MAN KILLS GIRL AND SHOTS SELF

BALTIMORE, May 10.—Following a domestic quarrel, Michael Gergely, who recently came here from Washington, shot and probably fatally wounded Miss "Nile Florentine" early this morning.

After shooting the girl Gergely turned his revolver upon himself and was a single shot through the right temple ended his life instantly.

The girl victim was taken to Johns Hopkins Hospital, where it was said that her condition is extremely critical.

Gergely's name is not in the Washington directory, nor was he known to the police.

## FIANCE A SUICIDE; GIRL WAITS IN CHURCH

NEW YORK, May 9.—At the hour when he had expected to marry, while his bride-to-be was waiting for him at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, Isaac F. Williams, a cotton broker, committed suicide this afternoon in his room at the home of Dr. William I. Stovall. His fiancée, Miss Mary Arnold, did not learn of his death until she had waited nearly an hour at the church. Financial reverses are believed to have prompted the suicide.

Williams was a descendant of an old Rhode Island family. A maid went to Williams' room to call him to the telephone. She found him dead, with a bullet wound in his temple and a revolver lying beside him. A note in the room asked that Miss Arnold be notified that he was ill.

When word of her fiancée's death reached the young woman she collapsed.

## FORETELL WEATHER FOR A WEEK NOW

First Forecast Issued After Three Years of Experimenting.

The weather sharks have now got the elements down so pat with the aid of their telegraphic service, which extends all over the northern hemisphere, that, after three years of experimenting, they feel confident that they can forecast the weather for a week ahead.

The first week's forecast was issued yesterday, under the direction of E. B. Garriott, supervising forecast official, who has been in charge of the experiment.

"It is to the extension of the telegraph service and the experience gained through years of observation on the part of the weather officials that it is possible to furnish the people of the United States with the weekly forecasts," said Mr. Garriott. "I am sure that such a weekly service will prove invaluable to the farmers and others throughout the country."

The forecast for the week beginning today, is as follows:

"In the Atlantic coast States the week will open cool and fair; the middle of the week will be marked by a period of rainy weather, beginning about Tuesday, and the closing two or three days will be fair with seasonable temperature."

"In the central valleys rain Sunday night and Monday will be followed by fair and cooler; the last half of the week will be warmer, and showers will occur toward the close of the week."

"In the great plains region the week will open with rain, followed during the middle of the week by fair and warmer, and by general rains Thursday or Friday."

"In the wheat belt of the North-Central States the week will open with showers that will be followed by several days of fair weather and rising temperature that will in turn be followed Thursday or Friday by rain."

## C. H. TREAT SPEAKS TO BETA ALUMNI

Association Elects Officers at Its Last Monthly Dinner.

The Washington Alumni Association of the Beta Theta Pi Fraternity held its last monthly banquet and election of officers last night at the Normandie Hotel Annex, at 1405 J street northwest.

George C. Rankin was re-elected president, W. V. Cox, vice president, and J. Norris Myers, for the fifth time in as many years, was chosen secretary-treasurer.

The meeting last night was made especially noteworthy by the attendance of the venerable Dr. S. S. Laws, who has the distinction of being the oldest living "Beta," and Dr. H. H. Allen, who has been a member of the society for five years more than half a century. Both were called on to address the gathering and each was greeted with the well-known tribute, "For he's a jolly good fellow" at the conclusion of his remarks.

Charles H. Treat, Treasurer of the United States, was the chief speaker. Mr. Treat spoke on "The Ideals of American Young Men."

During the intermissions between the speeches, songs were rendered by the specially appointed three-man choir, F. S. Stitt, pianist and first soprano; J. N. Myers, baritone, and also tenor when required, and R. S. Cook, man-of-all-voices.

Following is a list of those who were present: J. E. Southernland, P. C. Dismick, F. J. Kent, L. W. Ellis, E. S. Noyes, J. G. McKay, J. C. Gipe, G. M. Churchill, E. C. Babcock, C. F. Scott, Reid Hunt, Wilbur Vanderlip Leech, and C. W. Waxburton.

**RUNS INTO EXPRESS WAGON.**

Daniel R. Haas, riding a bicycle at Seventh street and Pennsylvania avenue yesterday, ran into an express wagon, and was thrown to the pavement. He received a deep gash on the head and was treated at the Emergency Hospital. Haas is employed as an advertising solicitor by a Washington newspaper.

**Our Display of Roses Is Especially Interesting.** Shaffer, 14th & I.—A. J.

## NEGRO CONVICTED; FEARED MOB MAY REVENGE WOMAN

Jail Under Guard and Prisoner Will Be Moved Monday.

Victim Tells Story of Crime, Causing Verdict on First Ballot.

PRINCE FREDERICKSTOWN, Md., May 9.—It took a jury but an hour and a half tonight to convict Arthur Rand, a negro, of felonious assault on Mrs. Mary Buggy Ward. The trial, which began here on record in the State, and was attended with the keenest excitement. The jury returned its verdict at 6 o'clock this evening, but Judge Briscoe reserved sentence until Monday morning. It is believed he will impose the death penalty.

The whole vicinity was wrought up over the case and open threats of violence against the prisoner were taken under the eye of the authorities. It is generally believed that the authorities will make an attempt to spirit Rand away to a place of safety. The jail here is small and inadequately equipped to resist mob of large numbers. Rand has collapsed, and although he stoutly maintains his innocence he is in deadly fear.

**Guard Around Jail Quits.**

The armed guard around the jail has been increased, but the men deputized lost their nerve after a few hours' service and resigned as soon as they could be replaced.

Immediately after being sentenced on Monday the prisoner will be taken under the heavy guard to the jail in Baltimore.

Asked tonight what she thought of the verdict, Mrs. Ward replied:

"It was just what I expected. I would not object to having seen him hanged. My character has been assailed, but the allegations were absurd."

**Negro's Victim Tells Story.**

Trembling and hysterical, and recounting her story with violent paroxysms of sobbing, Mrs. Ward today unfolded to the jury the story of the midnight attack upon her by Rand last January. Carefully led through the horrifying details of her original story by the State's attorney, Mrs. Ward bore up bravely. When turned over to attorneys for the defense she was put through a grueling cross-examination and finally broke down completely.

When asked brutally why she did not fully attest herself before going out into the snow and darkness to report the attack, Mrs. Ward hesitated, clutched her throat, and began weeping piteously.

"I thought if I remained in my home he would come back and kill me," said Mrs. Ward testified that when Rand, one of the jurors leaned over from his seat, patted her on the arm, and said sympathetically:

"You just take your time and tell your own story."

Judge Briscoe reproved the juror for his conduct. Other members of the jury and many spectators were greatly moved at the pathetic narrative recited by the victim of the double attack.

**Negro Was Well Armed.**

Mrs. Ward testified that when Rand entered her room with a shotgun and ax and attempted to resist him he said to her:

"When you're fooling with a North Carolina nigger you are not fooling with a Calvert county nigger."

She said she was terrified at the menacing way in which he wielded the gun and ax. Mrs. Ward stated that after being made Rand's victim he stole a check for \$40 from her, barred the front door of her home with a log and rode off on her best horse. Clad in her night robe, barefooted, and hatless she ran over the frozen snow for half a mile to the farm of Ernest Randall to tell what had happened.

She asked him to get a gun and go with her to the home of Elsey Hardesty. At Randall's home she was furnished with clothing and then went to the Hardesty residence. There she is said to have told the same story which was dramatically delivered from the stand today. Mrs. Ward said she trusted Rand, believing him to be from Calvert county instead of a tramp, convicted escaped from a North Carolina penitentiary.

**Corroborates Her Testimony.**

Ernest Randall corroborated the woman's story as to what happened after the attack. He said the woman was in a highly nervous state, came to him in fear and begged him not to leave her. The witness said he searched her house, found her clothes where she said she had been forced to take them, and saw the ax with which Rand intimidated her.

Elsey Hardesty and James Hardesty corroborated both preceding witnesses, and added that the barefooted woman, who ran through the snow, wept throughout the night and was unable to sleep.

Philip Klein and Sheriff Mead contradicted testimony introduced by the defense to damage the character of the complaining witness.

Counsel for the defense placed eight witnesses on the stand to attack Mrs. Ward's reputation.

The trembling defendant, the target of a thousand eyes, told a most remarkable story. The prisoner made the astonishing statement that he had been in love with his white employer for several weeks. He declared that he incurred her enmity by refusing to per-

**JEALOUS, KILLS WIFE;  
THEN ENDS OWN LIFE**

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, May 8.—As the result of a family quarrel, Willis A. Moore, forty-nine years old, a mine worker of East Youngstown, this afternoon shot and instantly killed his wife and then committed suicide by shooting.

Repeated quarrels have occurred on account of Moore's dissipation. He has been insanely jealous of his wife, although his seven children declare that there was no cause.

## JUDGES SCORE HITS IN BASEBALL GAME



Photo by Harris-Ewing.  
MR. JUSTICE HARLAN,  
Who came a Boy Again Just for Yesterday, and Proved He Once Knew the National Game.

## VAN CANADA'S BODY IS FOUND IN RIVER

Friends Think Glen Echo Postmaster Was Murdered.

The body of Van B. Canada, postmaster of Glen Echo, Md., who had been missing since March 1, was found last night floating in the Potomac near Glymont, Md., about twenty-eight miles down the river. The body was recovered by Captain Lindsey, of Glymont.

One of the harbor police boats will go down the river this morning and bring the remains to Washington. Information about the finding of the body was received at police headquarters over the telephone. But Hulton, employed at the Government wharf at Indian Head, said the United States Fish Commission service yacht Philharpe stopped at Indian Head shortly after 7 o'clock, and that Capt. R. N. Vender told him the body had been recovered. Hulton also said members of the crew told him the body had been in the water several weeks, and that it was identified by a notebook found in one of the pockets.

**Name in Notebook.**

Canada's name was written on the fly leaf of the book, and the body also answers the description of the missing man. There is no telephone at the place where the body was found, and the police were unable to get into communication last night with any one at Glymont.

Captain Vender first saw a body floating in the river near Bryan's Point about 7 o'clock Friday night. An effort was made to recover it, but owing to the swiftness of the current, the body was swept out of sight before it could be secured.

Yesterday a crew from the harbor precinct went down the river in the yacht Frisella, and dragged the Potomac in the vicinity of Glymont from early in the morning until late in the afternoon. No trace of the body was found.

Canada was well known in Washington, and his disappearance aroused considerable interest. He conducted a store at Glen Echo, and was postmaster. He was a close friend of Mayor Garrett, and after he had been away several days Mr. Garrett sent out circulars asking the police authorities in all cities and towns in this part of the country to assist in locating him.

**Thinking He Was Slain.**

Many of the missing man's friends asserted from the first that he had been drowned. He left his home between 7 and 8 o'clock in the morning, and was last seen near Chain Bridge. It was thought at the time that he neither fell or jumped in the river.

Canada is said to have had a large sum of money with him, when he left the house, and the police at first thought he might have met with foul play. His friends discredited the theory that he committed suicide. So far as was known he was in no financial difficulty, and his friends assert there was nothing that would prompt him to end his life.

**Result a Mystery.**

Altogether it was a grand game. The scorer lost count of the tallies because the judges made so many and the lawyers made so few, but the nearest calculation was 27 for the judges and 5 for the lawyers.

Judge Harlan scorned invitations to bowl and play at quoits. Apparently, these diversions seemed too gentlemanly, not to say ladylike, after the masculine work of chasing the baseball from valley to hill; but Commissioner Henry B. Macfarland, smiling wisely, while, put it all over on Conrad H. Syme in the bowling alley, and Judge De Lacy downed Percival M. Brown at the manly game of quoits.

All this sport and all these lawyers and judges said down at Potomac aboard the Charles Macalester. There were good things on the steamer, and at Marshall Hall there was enough planked shad to feed a regiment. The planked shad was eaten before the sports were started.

On the way back to Washington, some unkind gentleman put the rumor in circulation that a poker game was in full blast in a secret part of the ship. Inquiry, however, developed the fact that the uproar was caused, not by a fight over who should take the "pot," but by Judge Harlan and Judge Anderson expressing their pain and annoyance when they found that their knees had "stiffened in a remarkable manner."

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After all, there was no ill feeling, because no one had the nerve to guy the well-to-do on the boat. In fact, one was pointed out that they have to act stiffly on the bench and they might as well be on the boat.

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Supreme Court Officials  
Enjoy Day at Lawyers'  
Shad Bake.

Justice Harlan Does Star  
Work Amid Cheering Few.

### Diamond Dust.

Mr. Justice Harlan did good willow work, but showed lack of practice in base running. He is on the coming list though, and may show up to a better advantage next year, if they have a bake.

DeLacy got a good fly put down in his credit column yesterday.

Anderson skidded to let a hot one pass him at short. The judge's hands are a little tender, but will be in better shape next year.

Robb's catch of a foul in the eye brought tears from the judge.

Justice Harlan jumped off the bench, struck a forceful and resolute blow, got away on fleeting feet, and only came to grief when he tried to steal.

The bench he left, however, was not the bench of the Supreme Court of the United States. It was the bench just back of the home plate of the baseball grounds at Marshall Hall. The blow he struck was a safe hit into deep left, and he went to first base like a bird. It was here that his soaring ambition brought him to grief.

He tried to steal second, did the justice, and he died a miserable death, laid low by a skillful throw to the base. He was "out," and out of breath.

**Annual Shad Bake.**

This spectacle of the justice of the Supreme Court "baking" around the baseball diamond like a dusty antelope, was offered to view because the judges had a nine, and the lawyers had a nine in the championship game at the annual shadbake of the Bar Association of the District of Columbia, at Marshall Hall yesterday.

Play ball!

They had the thing reduced to a science. Both pitchers had the "base arm" disease, and the heavy hitting made the fielding a scene that reminded the onlooker of a practice cavalry drill. The dust flew thick and fast, and the feet of judges and lawyers sounded like tons of brick pounding down on the heads of the earth.

Harlan was the star of the game. The lawyers' pitcher was at his mercy. The judge hung lamps on that pitcher's curves and straightened against his slugging style. His performance was closely scored by Judge Gould, who happened in in high fly after bounding along thirty yards or more on one foot.

**Roots Up Grounders.**

Judge Anderson was right there when it came to gathering up the grounders. No ball bounced so crooked that Anderson couldn't keep it from breaking his nose. A liner was headed for his right eye once, but he stepped aside and gave it a polite bow as it hurtled on. Nevertheless, on the grounders he was a wonder. The ball hit his hands with sickening thuds and pattered against his fingers, but he was Johnny-on-the-spot.

Judge De Lacy got under a high fly, did a Highland fling in a circle, balancing on one foot, tried to catch the ball in his left ear, and finally picked it gracefully from the groin sward a few minutes after it had fallen. Judge Robb went after a foul ball, caught it on his eyebrow, gave it a transfer to his wrist and juggled it five minutes in full sight of the spectators, to the aid of a confederate.

Harlan's work in the field was as good as his dignity deeds with the stick. He threw the ball like a bullet, and once he forgot himself and, turning around with judicial deliberation, calmly tossed it back to the pitcher. For this he was fined four days' salary.

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## BURGLAR CAUGHT; GIRL HOME ALONE SPREADS ALARM

Seeing Negro Ransacking  
Drawer, She Runs Out  
Screaming in Terror.

Crowd Surrounds House  
and Talk of Violence  
Begins at Capture.

Alone and unprotected in her home, Miss Gertrude Clements, of 648 Eleventh street, last night saw a negro ransacking a bureau. She ran screaming from the house and the neighbors who surrounded the place captured James Curtis, and held him until the arrival of the police.

There was talk of violence but cooler heads persuaded the citizens to let the law take its course.

**Sees Man at Bureau.**

Miss Clements was sitting in the front part of her home last night about 10:30 o'clock when she was attracted by a noise on the second floor. She went upstairs and found the negro ransacking the bureau drawer in one of the bedrooms. She was so frightened that she lost self control and ran downstairs and into the street, screaming "Burglars!" Soon she was joined by a crowd of residents of the neighborhood.

"I went to Judge Battle, who administered the oath, and when I returned the office had been opened and there was no obstacle offered to my taking possession of the executive chamber as governor."

The majority of the constitutional lawyers believe it would be difficult to interpret the action of the Speaker as irregular.

The negro put up a desperate fight on the arrival of the officers. He fought the policemen all the way to the precinct station, and it was with difficulty that he was overpowered. He was locked in a cell finally, and then it was found that he was crazed by drink. He shrieked oaths at the officers and all efforts to quiet him were unsuccessful. Finally he was taken to the Casualty Hospital, where a drug was administered and his raging soon ceased.

**Entered From the Rear.**

Miss Clements was in such a nervous state following the affair that she could not give a detailed account of what happened. She says, however, that she believes the man entered the house from the rear, and that she heard him soon after his entrance, as only one of the rooms had been ransacked. She says she does not remember hearing any peculiar sound on the first floor, but as all the windows upstairs were locked it is not thought he entered from the second story.

Curtis at first attempted to explain his presence in the house, declaring, amid a storm of oaths that he was not bent on robbery, but finally he changed his tactics and declined to answer any question put to him. He also said that he did not remember entering the house, and then became more "violently drunk." The officers think that he did this to excuse himself of the crime.

The negro says he lives at 115 L street, but his occupation is not known.

## MRS. G. J. RICKETTS DIES IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Katie H. Ricketts, wife of Oscar J. Ricketts, former Acting Public Printer of the United States, died at 4:45 o'clock yesterday afternoon in Garretts Hospital, after a short illness.

Ricketts was taken to the hospital Tuesday, suffering with peritonitis, and she gradually sank until the end. Her husband and several members of her family were at the bedside when she died.

Mrs. Ricketts was Miss Katie H. Mahony before her marriage to Mr. Ricketts in Washington. She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Mrs. Edward B. Eynon, jr.; three brothers, James A., Felix, and William F. Mahony, and one sister, Mrs. E. G. Corey all of Washington.

Funeral services will be held from her late residence 1378 Columbia road, Tuesday morning, at 11 o'clock. The Rev. U. S. G. Pierce, of All Souls' Church, will conduct the services, and interment will be made in Rock Creek Cemetery.

## FEUD LEADER KILLED; OTHERS ARE WOUNDED

WHITESBURG, Ky., May 9.—In a battle between the Brown-Mitchell feud factions on the Perry road, Isaac Brown, leader of the Brown faction, was killed. Bob Brown was wounded. Will Mitchell, leader of the Mitchells, was fatally wounded. News of the fight, which occurred yesterday, did not reach here until today.

## WOMAN 105 YEARS OLD BAKES BIRTHDAY CAKE

MERIDEN, Conn., May 9.—Displaying the enthusiasm of a young girl, Miss Anne Graham baked a large birthday cake which was yesterday served at a celebration of her 105th birthday anniversary. She planned the event, and had for her guests other inmates of the Sheltering Arms, in Norwich, and several relatives and friends. No men were in the party.

Born in Ireland, she came to America at an early age and was brought up in a wealthy family in New York State and in Connecticut until 1857, when she entered the Sheltering Arms Home.